

Medical Dictionary

One entry found for genetic marker.

Main Entry: genetic marker

Function: *noun*

: a readily recognizable genetic trait, gene, DNA segment, or gene product used for identification purposes especially when closely linked to a trait or to genetic material that is difficult to identify – called also *marker*

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Pronunciation Key

\ə \ as a in abut	\g \ as g in go	\r \ as r in red
\'ə \ə \ as u in abut	\h \ as h in hat	\s \ as s in less>
\ə \ as e in kitten	\i \ as i in hit	\sh \ as sh in shy
\ər \ as ur/er in further	\ī \ as i in ice	\t \ as t in tie
\a \ as a in ash	\j \ as j in job	\th \ as th in thin
\ā \ as a in ace	\k \ as k in kin	\th \ as th in the
\ă \ as o in mop	\k \ as ch in ich dien	\ŭ \ as oo in loot
\aŭ \ as ou in out	\l \ as l in lily	\û \ as oo in foot
\b \ as in baby	\m \ as m in murmur	\v \ as v in vivid
\ch \ as ch in chin	\n \ as n in own	\w \ as w in away
\d \ as d in did	\ŋ \ as ng in sing	\y \ as y in yet
\e \ as e in bet	\ō \ as o in go	\yŭ \ as you in youth
\'ē \ē \ as ea in easy	\ô \ as aw in law	\yŭ \ as u in curable
\ē \ as y in easy	\oi \ as oy in boy	\z \ as z in zone
\f \ as f in fifty	\p \ as p in pepper	\zh \ as si in vision

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